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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:

Fritz H. Bach *et al.*

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For: METHODS OF TREATING INFLAMMATION  
BY ADMINISTRATION OF HEME  
OXYGENASE-1 AND PRODUCTS OF HEME  
DEGRADATION

Examiner: H. A. Robinson

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**STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE  
NOVEMBER 9, 2010 INTERVIEW**

Dear Sir:

Applicants thank the Examiner for the courtesy of a telephonic interview that took place on November 9, 2010 between Applicants' Attorney, Megan Williams; and Examiner H Robinson.

In the interview the claim language in a proposed amendment forwarded by Applicant's Attorney and potential alternative claim amendments were discussed.

Applicants are further considering the claim language proposed by the Examiner (e.g., incorporating the language presented in the Final Office Action into claim 1 or the language of claim 17 into claim 1) and will present an appropriate amendment.

### **CONCLUSION**

If a telephone conversation with applicant's attorney would expedite the prosecution of the above-identified application, the examiner is urged to call applicant's attorney at (617) 573-4700.

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Respectfully submitted,

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